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The present paper is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated May 23, 2002 and is being filed during the original shortened statutory period for responding to the Action, which is set to expire on August 23, 2002. Accordingly, no extension fees are believed to be due in connection with this filing. However, to the extent any fees are required for this paper, please charge such fees to deposit account no. 19-0733.

Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph at page 1, lines 8-14 with the following:

--The present application is related to U.S. Serial No. 08/959,300, entitled  
"Method and Apparatus for Automatic Generation of Text and Computer-Executable  
Code", filed on October 28, 1997, now U.S. Patent No. 6,035,119. Also, the present

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